THE DOTHAN EAGLE
DOTHAN, ALABAMA, FRIDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 24, 1915

[S]HERIFF ATTEMPTS TO STOP WIDE OPEN GAMBLING HERE

[O]perators of Gambling [illegible] and Other Devices to Close Up—If They Close?

[Gam]blers operating wide open [...] on the carnival grounds [were] ordered to close up yester[day af]ternoon at 2:30 o'clock by [Sheri]ff John A. May, but if re[ports] are true the places were [running] but closed last night. [Sher]iff May said that he had [bee]n busy with a murder case [in co]urt this week, that he had [ha]d time to give the gamb[ling] much attention.

Blakely Man Loser.

[Th]ere was a young man from [Blak]ely, Ga., who had the gamb[ling] instinct in a pronounced [way] and tried his luck on one [of] the numerous devices to be [foun]d on the carnival grounds. [Th]is man reported at the Sher[iff's] office that he had lost $45 [and] Deputy Sheriff Isham accom[pani]ed him to the carnival [grou]nds where $25 of this [amou]nt was recovered. One of [the] gamblers then offered the of[ficer] $5 for his trouble.

[O]ne incident is reported of a [we]ll known Dothan business man [who] lost about $100 while play[ing] one of the devices, but he [wa]s not so fortunate as to recov[er] his money.

[N]umerous instances of persons [losi]ng, in some cases heavily, [hav]e been heard on the streets.

Got Out of Way.

[W]hen the sheriff went to the [carn]ival grounds yesterday, some [of] the operators grabbed their [dev]ices and ran, but the officer [go]t to talk to some of them, tell[ing] them that they must cease [ope]rations in Dothan or take the [co]nsequences.

[M]iss Barfield and Mr. Knox Married

[M]iss Eddie Annie Barfield, [who] has been head nurse at [Moo]dy's infirmary since that in[stit]ution opened here, and Mr. [Edwa]rd Knox, of Demopolis, were [ma]rried today at noon at the [Fir]st Presbyterian church, Rev. [J.] L. Campbell, the pastor, offic[iat]ing.

Immediately after the ceremo[ny] the couple left for Demopolis, [the]ir future home. The wedding, [whi]ch was a quiet affair, came as [a s]urprise to the many friends of [the] couple.

This is Dothan's first Christmas [we]dding this season.

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

[C]ount fifty! Your cold in [hea]d or catarrh disappears. Your [clog]ged nostrils will open, the air [passa]ges of your head will clear [and] you can breathe freely. No [mor]e snuffling, hawking, mucous [disc]harge, dryness or headache; [no s]truggling for breath at night. [Ge]t a small bottle of Ely's [Crea]m Balm from your druggist [and] apply a little of this fragrant [antis]eptic cream in your nostrils. [It p]enetrates through every air [passa]ge of the head, soothing and [heal]ing the swollen or inflamed [muco]us membrane, giving you in[stant] relief. Head colds and [catarr]h yield like magic. Don't [stay] stuffed-up and miserable. [Relief] is sure.

HONOR ROLL

Weekly Honor Roll from Howell School, for week ending Dec. 23, 1915.

Senior Seventh.
Annie Lou Lee
Grace Harris
Genie Keyton
Lizzie Bryon
J. B. Ward.

Junior Seventh.
Stella Barnes
Roslyn Bernard
Kirtley Brown
Claire Culver
Will C. Fenn
Pattie Gaines
Ernest Holmes
Ruby Mizelle
Gladys Powell
Virginia Rabb
Emmie Saxon
Jerome Spann
Elizabeth Tatum
Lucy K. Williams

Senior Sixth
Estelle Hall
Warren Hutto
J. C. Willis

Junior Sixth.
Irene Buck
Robert Baker
Violet Dantizler
Lucille Dozier
Elizabeth Farmer
Annie L. Hughes
Emelyn Lourie
Alva Williams
Mamie Wooten.

Sr. 2nd Grade
Ethel Keyton
Louise Carselle

Jr. 3rd Grade.
Will Gaines
Elizabeth Jeter
Walter Merkle,
De Forrest Morgan.
Flora Hatcher.

Senior First
Gladys Atkinson
Lillie Mae Cherry
Ethel Prevatt
Othel Hall
T. Hutto
Clyde Marsh
Harry Lee Faulk
J. B. Cherry
Mann Cherry
Raymond Gunnels
Hedrick Mizell
John Pullen
Danley Vaughn
David Bradford.

Jr. First.
Edwin Gregory
O. L. Baker
Charles Faulk.

CARD OF THANKS.

Please allow me space in your columns to acknowledge the many acts of kindness shown to me and my husband, during his recent illness, and to express our grateful appreciation for the same. J. L. Tew of Hurtsboro, Ala., also joins me in giving expression to our sincere thanks for every favor shown his only brother, and our prayers are that God's richest blessings will continue to abide daily with every one who offered their services in this hour of need.

Very truly,
MRS W. H. TEW.

Celery and Cranberries still plentiful for last minute orders. A. D. Usery Grocery Co. It

Red snappers, yes, and they are fine too, and this is the hour to [illegible] for an order. Enterprise [Mar]ket. It

Prof. W. J. Pittman, who has charge of the city schools at Bes[illegible], is in the city visiting his [illegible] and friends during the holidays.

"I WANT TO GO HOME!"

Now that so many British fathers are in the trenches the municipality of London is exercising a paternal care of the thousands of babies whose mothers are suffering the hardships attendant upon the war. All over the great city there are Mothers' Aid and Infant Welfare Stations, where the children of the poor are watched as tenderly and cared for as scientifically as the youngsters of Mayfair. The youngster shown in the picture who is being weighed after his daily bath, seems very indignant at being photographed in such an undignified position.

PATRIOTISM OILING MACHINERY IN WAR PLANTS OF EUROPE

Thousands of Women Playing Heroic Part From Battle.

(By W. T. Massey.)

London, Dec. 23.—A war munition factory is the most inspiring sight in Britain. In times of the greatest trade prosperity machinery never ran so fast or so well; willing labor never adapted itself admirably to the needs of the moment. Patriotism is the oil which makes the machinery run smoothly, and there is less thought of personal gain in getting a record output than when manufacturers had only private interests to consider.

A tour of some of the big centers of activity tells the part of women in the war even more plain ly than the devotion of nursing sisters who give their services to winning back to health the wounded or sick man from the fighting line. Quite out of the limelight there are many scores of thousands of women toiling night and day on tasks for which their lives would be quite unsuited but for an unquenchable desire to do something for their country. They had to be shown how their work could be utilized, but when once the call reached them a ready and unfailing response was given.

In the areas under the control of the ministry of munitions there is today a supply of female labor magnificent in volume and thoroughly efficient. Who could have dreamed before the war that factories turning out high explosive shells would be manned solely by women without the slightest experience of fast running machinery?

Thought it Impossible.

Men in the trade laughed at the idea. One great captain of industry, whose establishment is now turning out tens of thousands of shells per week, told me a day or two ago that he instructed the manager of one of his branches to get it running with female labor to make 18 pounder high explosive shells. The manager replied that it could not be done, but the principal was insistent, and in a day the department-al head, who had years of experience as an organizer, confessed his mistake. He had given women a few hours' instruction and the trial was sufficient to show him that, though work would be slow at first, it was honestly done, and would progress.

I can only speak of what I have seen and have been told in Birmingham, Leeds, Newcastle and Glasgow, but of only half of what I saw and heard was true, British women are rendering aid of priceless value in this hour of stress, and without their help the force British troops will be able to apply in the near future would lack sustained power.

Practically every foreman told the same story of well applied energy, willingness and a readiness to do any work placed before them punctually, and the keeping of a full hours' day of the women workers. Wherever women are employed it has been found that the output is consistently increasing, and there is not the slightest sign that enthusiasm is abating. Indeed it grows, and the spirit of emulation is so pronounced that the prices offered for record outputs in various operations are continually being won.

Scotch Women Patriotic

I can give an idea of what women are doing by describing, quite briefly, my visit to a factory turning out many thousands of high explosive shells each week. It is in Scotland, and the patriotism of the Scot has sent into these works numbers of women who, but for the war, would have been leading idle lives. The example of their men folk has stirred them into action, and they have joined with their sisters less fortunately placed in the social scale to do their best for their country.

The factory is not new, but it is not uncomfortable. There is plenty of fresh air, and as circumstances permit, room has been allotted for refreshments during the total of two hours out of each twelve, when time is given up to meals.

On several floors there are machines running at high speeds tendered exclusively by women in khaki aprons and khaki caps. I talked to 20 or 30 of them, and in every case the worker was quite content, and her only desire seemed to be to turn out more shells.

ZEPPELIN'S BOMBS MISS DESTROYING BRITAIN'S RECORD BY ONLY FIVE FEET

By Mary Boyle O'Reilly.

London, Dec. 23.—"The Zeppelins came to bomb the buildings along one street in London, and they missed them by five feet," said the special constable, and pointed his swagger stick down a crowded canyon in the east city, where every window pane was shattered.

"A dozen air raids—at least one air raid dreadnaught wrecked every month, a dead loss of millions of marks: the net result—failure!

"Buckingham palace, St. Pauls cathedral, the house of parliament were not the enemy airmens' objective, Count Zeppelin and his pirate crew were looking for —— lane."

"Why —— lane?" I asked, for a less pretentious thoroughfare does not exist in London.

The special constable strode along the narrow footway.

New Treasure Warehouse.

"Anyone standing here for a week sees scores of money magnates and about half the peerage," he answered. "On one side of the lane are the kingdom's records, on the other a vast warehouse filled with stores of gold and treasure.

"In the public record offices are 25 miles of shelves packed with historical, genealogical and legal material going back thru all the centuries to the Norman conquest, 1066. Those records tell of the tenure of transfer of historical estates, the rise and fall of the great [illegible] establishments—the vital history of England.

"Thousands of the priceless volumes were gathered from the tower, the chapel house, Westminster, the Rolls chapel and a thousand law courts and governments departments. Among them is the Doomsday books.

800 Years of History

"One Zeppelin bomb well directed might have destroyed the original sources of 800 years of history. The airmen attempted—and failed by five feet. It is now too late to try again.

"But the rolls of the kingdom were not the only possible prizes. Just across the lane is stored a vast accumulation of treasure, priceless works of art, rare gold and silver plate, ivories, jewels, such ducal rubies and priceless pearls as Solomon in all his glory never imagined, all brought there by French and Belgian refugees, noblemen, lawyers, merchant princes, even the poor, who there deposited in safety their family treasures.

"In one —— lane depository alone it is estimated that $5,000,000,000 worth of hidden wealth is stored."

I glanced down the commonplace looking passage. Every bomb had smashed in the middle of the pavement, from five to ten feet short of doing any harm. Grimly complacent, Englishmen were realizing the shattered windows and storing inestimable treasure for safety underground.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

The postoffice will be open tomorrow from 11 to 12, and the city carriers will make their regular morning delivery. The carriers will also be on duty at the carriers window from 11 to 12 to accommodate the patrons of their respective routes.

Mr. J. C. Alexander, of [illegible], Ala., will arrive tonight to be the guest of his mother, Mrs. Alexander, and sister, Mrs. [illegible] Lassiter, on North St. Andrews street.

EPH OATES SHOOTS BEN STEAGALL AT ABBEVILLE; MAN MAY NOT LIVE

Wounded Man [illegible] Rushed to Montgomery Infirmary—Family Quarrel Suggested as Cause of Difficulty—Both Parties are Prominent in the Community

Eph Oates shot and probably fatally wounded his brother-in-law, Ben Steagall, at Abbeville, where both parties live, last night about 12 o'clock.

Steagall was rushed to Montgomery early this morning where it is hoped the physicians may treat the wounded man and save his life.

News from Abbeville indicate that there is but small chance for Steagall to live. The bullet entered one side of the body, passed through the abdomen and came out the other side. The cause of the difficulty is not known, but is supposed to have been due to a family quarrel.

Ben Steagall is a son of Ivey Steagall of Montgomery, and is a nephew of Dr. A. S. Steagall, of Abbeville, and of Congressman Henry B. Steagall, of Ozark. Both parties are prominent.

Passed Through Dothan.

Accompanied by a physician and friends, Ben Steagall passed through Dothan at an early hour this morning en route to Montgomery.

Reports heard here of the shooting were confirmed by The Eagle by wire.

BE PRETTY! TURN GRAY HAIR DARK

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is mussy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" you will get a large bottle of this famous old recipe for about 50 cents.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

The Dothan Eagle wishes each and every patron a merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year.

Probably we all didn't achieve our ambitions this year, but it is likely we got what we were entitled to. We should be satisfied with this year, and start out next year to break the record.

Lewis Ellis will arrive tonight from Americus, Ga., to spend the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ellis on West Main street.

Strayed or Stolen—Jersey heifer, 6 months old, dark color. Reward for return to Dr. C. W. Hilliard. 13tp

Don't forget about the Sealshipt Oysters. We have them daily, fresh. Enterprise Market. It

LA FAYETTE AVE. CHURCH.

Sunday School Sunday morning at the usual hour. Judge Chapman is superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by the new pastor, Rev. E. M. Lovelady and at 7:00 p. m. by the presiding elder, Rev. C. W. Northcutt.

Christmas tree at this church Saturday night.

COME

Special Christmas program at Highland Avenue Baptist church tonight at 7 o'clock, December 24, benefit children of the Orphan's Home. Free will offering only.

COME!

Our store will be closed tomorrow—Christmas day. A. D. Usery Grocery Co. It

The Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will not meet next Monday afternoon, but this meeting will be held the first week in January. 2

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Ragamuffin's Prayer

The broken stove gapes wide; no fire
Here to warm the blood of her;
A light wave in the sickening
haze
The lamp's wick makes a dull red
blaz.

She shows that she has put aside
Her fall of holes; her faded
dress
Worn and patched and torn
again;
Her small, numb hands the pil-
low press.

Yet she kneels there beside the
bed
Whose cover is so scant and
thin,
And prays. (O men and women
of the world,
Who knows that half-starved
soul of sin!)

"Dear God, 'tis almost Christmas
night,"
Her cheeks with creeping tears
are wet,
"Make me a good girl, God I
pray,
So Santa Claus may not for-
get."

Make her a "good girl," though
she starve
Outside of windows filled with
bread,
Make her a "good girl," though
she knows
No fire save lampwick blinking
red!

You who pluck the flowers of
life
Whose feet in pleasant paths
are set,
Can read the answer to her pray-
er—
Make Santa Claus not to forget!

—Mary Beaumont Kennedy

Miss Ruth Davis of Hillsboro, is the guest of her cousin Miss Grace [illegible].

Miss Eva Hatton [illegible] for Birmingham [illegible].

[illegible] Hall [illegible] Dothan [illegible] Royal Blue [illegible]

day for Cincinnati to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Moore.

Miss Annie Saxon has returned from Agnes Scott to spend the holidays with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stone and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Black motored from Panama City yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Black left this afternoon for Banks, Ala., to spend Christmas.

Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Barnett will spend the holidays in Verbena with relatives.

Mrs. Fred Thomas leaves tonight for Jacksonville, Fla., to spend Christmas with Mrs. McDonald.

Miss Mary Essie Hunter arrived last night from Pelham, Ga., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hunter.

Miss Jessie Mae Hunter will return from the Normal College at Florence this evening to spend the holidays at home.

Sid Wilson, who is in school at the State University, is home for the holidays.

Miss Belle Jones arrived this afternoon from Pelham, Ga., to spend the holidays with Miss Lucile Bell.

Family Reunion—

A happy feature of the holidays will be the family reunion held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Faircloth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Gwynn will arrive today from Tallahassee, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett of Panama City and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Faircloth of Gainesville, Fla., will arrive Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Rouse of Montgomery, arrived Monday.

Everybody knows that the biggest assortment of toys are at TOYLAND, and that toys and all kinds of Christmas gifts are [illegible] Corner Main [illegible] Phone [illegible] Royal Blue [illegible]

THE LEGEND OF CHRISTMAS WREATHS

The sword and sash and scarlet
coat,
Upon a Christmas day,
Through frosty woods and hoary
fields,
A soldier rode away.

She watched him through the fall-
ing snow,
A young and lovely maid.
In milky pearls and flowing
robes
Of velvet green arrayed.

With rumors of the distant wars
The months went slowly by,
Till once again the Christmas bells
Were pealing to the sky;
And walking, in the lonely woods,
A bush the maiden found,
With thorns as sharp as little
swords,
And scarlet berries crowned.

She leaned against the ancient
oak,
And wove a wreath to wear
Of scarlet berries, bright and gay
And set it on her hair.
And lo! the pearls upon her
breast
Were changed to berries too;
And, rooted to the oak, a branch
of mistletoe she grew.

When sweet and clear the Christ-
mas bells
Ring out o'er vale and hill,
The maiden mistletoe is seen
In pearls and velvet still;
And with her in the revels ruled
By music, mirth and folly,
In sword and scarlet still array-
ed
Behold the soldier holly.

—Minna Irving, in Leslie's.

FINIS

UNIQUE GOWN FOR BRIDESMAIDS

The wind blown angles that Paris has just sent over are gaily demonstrated in the bridesmaid costumes in "When Dreams Come True," and when a dozen of them come upon the vision at once it is almost too splendid to be anything but painted upon the scenery. Bright but light green is the first color you see, the body of the dress and the large rabbit's ear bow on the hat being of that strange shade of it that reminds you of apple blossoms and makes you want to eat something.

Then the overdress, a coat skirt that hangs from the elevated waist line, saw daylight first in the best of Parisian places, where the rarest of fabrics are brought out to tempt rich Americans. It is a foundation of white lace over which are strewn bouquets of red and pink flowers with rich, deep green leaves. The white lining of the overskirt only emphasizes the wonderful bouquets and at the belt is a sash of silver embroidered net, string like and hanging down the front in two ends, finished with rhinestone tassels. A handsome rhinestone buckle holds the sash to the front of the belt.

Long sleeves of apple green are made of folds and reach well down upon the back of the hands.

The chic hats that top off the costumes are of leghorn straw, have one great rabbit ear of green satin on wide wire to wave artistically and wreath of tiny apple blossoms is draped around the crown to relieve any plainness.

A richer, lovelier creation never found its exclusive way behind the footlights.

"When Dreams Come True," is announced as the attraction at the Auditorium, Dothan, one night only, Wednesday, December 29th.

As we will close our store on Christmas day and consequently will be closed two days in succession, we will be badly rushed on Friday. We ask our customers to order as many of their Christmas goods early as possible, so that we may maintain our usual service.

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A most useful Christmas gift is a SINGER SEWING MACHINE. Singer Shop, 109 East Main St., Dothan, Ala. 123

Mrs. Tutwiler Entertains at Luncheon—

One of the most attractive affairs of the week was the luncheon of perfect appointments over which Mrs. Carl S. Tutwiler presided yesterday, in honor of her guests, Mr. Frederick Bonawitz and Mr. Henry Stewart.

Christmas colors of red and green prevailed in the artistic decorations, a beautiful poinsettes forming the centerpiece of the table.

In the living room Christmas bells, holly and smilax were very beautifully used in the decorations.

The guests were Mr. Bonawitz, Mr. Stewart, Miss Iona Peterman, Miss Evelyn Farmer, Miss Lucile Bell and Mrs. C. E. LaMassena.

Mrs. Hattie Gresham and son Julius have returned from Charlotte, N. C., to spend the holidays with relatives.

Sealshipt Oysters are the very thing for Christmas eating. Call us up. Enterprise Market. 124

For Sale—Good 1914 Overland touring car at sacrifice if taken at once. Phone 42. tf

J. G. Hardy of Headland, route 5, was a caller at The Eagle office today.

SAXON-HEARD DRY GOODS CO., Dothan's Popular Gift Store.

The Last Shopping Day Reductions

25 per cent and more off on all green Mandarin Jade. Here's a chance tomorrow the last shopping day, to buy that "last minute gift" at a bargain. See these beautiful picture frames, Trays, Manicure Sets, Clocks, Hair Brush, Combs, Nail Files, Tie Racks, Pin Cushions, Mirriors, Buffers, Scissors, Card Sets, etc.

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75c Articles, now	50c	$2.50 Articles, now	$1.99
$1.00 Articles, now	75c	$3.00 Articles, now	$2.00
$1.25 Articles, now	90c	$3.50 Articles, now	$2.30
$1.50 Articles, now	$1.00	$4.95 Articles, now	$3.25

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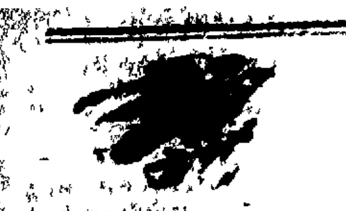

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FOR MAYOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Mayor of the city of Dothan subject to the action of the Democratic party.
tf J. R. YOUNG.

FOR MAYOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Mayor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.
tf B. R. PILCHER.

You will now hav to do your early Christmas shopping late

When there are no pie counters there will be no politics.

The Colonel wants to run for president on an anti-hyphenate platform.

Murder will out, and the Houston county murderer too, just as soon as a petit jury can let him out.

Book farming would be more popular if a crop could be raised out of a book while sitting in the shade.

The grand jury made a mistake by not tacking on a cow stealing amendment to the indictment for murder.

With all thy New Year's resoluting fail not to resolute that you'll not write it Xmas next year.

If you haven't tried to make somebody else happy by sun rise tomorrow no amount of wishing will bring you a happy Christmas.

Unashamed at Last.
By Dr. Frank Crane

There are a good many things I am ashamed of; more perhaps I ought to be ashamed of, but I am not ashamed of being human

I may well blush for my knowledge, for it might have been greater; for my wisdom, which might have been sounder; for my sins, that might have been fewer, and for my righteousness, which is paltry enough.

For my excess and lacks I may be justly blamed, but for any genuine human feeling I have no right to hang my head.

I believe in human nature as fatuously as any devotee swallows every absurdity of his cult. I am a fanatic on the subject, cracked, hypnotized, and purblined from exceeding faith, and am glad of it.

To me, what is human is good, and badness is whatever is inhuman.

It has been said that all manner of evils are due to our humanity, which seems to many exalted doctors of divinity to be a [illegible] for traits disgraceful, [illegible] and with [illegible]

[illegible] Why, we [illegible] solute, feels humanity, and hence eternally progresses.

To err is human, goes the proverb. But error is also common to every fowl, fish, and sentiment, volitional creature whatsoever. Error is not peculiar to men. It is not error, it is to be conscious of error and to be sorry for it, that is human.

To forgive is divine, it is likewise said Why divine more than human? For is not forgiveness but the forthputting of humanity and the larger justness?

Let me be of this unelect and unchosen people, of that vast commons who will *some day come of age, take things in their own hands, organize* the millennium, and *confine* all exclusive sets, *superior classes*, and privileged darlings in suitable asylums

Homo sum et nihil, etc So I dare avow frankly I love to eat and drink,, to bask in the sun and bathe in the water, to dance and sing, to sleep in a good bed, and to awaken to the odor of breakfast bacon Being of animal descent, I am *not ashamed of my four-footed forbears, and rejoice in the pleasures of flesh and blood, seeing no reason why animals may* not be as clean as angels, since God made them both

Being part angel, however, I indulge as freely in spiritual delights, and decline to miss the pleasures of worship, of self-sacrifice, and of saintly aspirations simply because some council or other has declared me a miserable sinner by nature.

I would be a whole human and *kill no part of myself to make the other abnormal*

I love women, and freely acknowledge the thrill that a pretty face and graceful form give me. Neither for that reason do I need be a cad or a criminal For self-control is a human excellence also.

I like those who like me And for those who do not like me I have no worse wish than that they would go away.

I love adventure and the shining sail. I love a good story and a well written book. I love good clothes and a *comfortable* chair. I love a clever play and a fair fight.

I hate war and everything directly or indirectly appertaining thereto, an orgy of vanity, insanity and inhumanity.

I hate all the devil's brood that cheat, rob and hurt human beings, whether through the stupid injustice of unreasoning custom, through greed, coldness of heart or sheer cruelty.

That theologic doctrine is to me the most delightful which teaches that Divinity thought enough of humanity to become Himself the Son of Man.

I, the heir of all the ages, consider the best part of their heritage to me is the privilege of being wholly human. As William Watson:

For now the hour of dreams is
past,
The gibbering ghosts depart.
And man is unashamed at last
To have a human heart.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of December, 1915, the undersigned will sell at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, within the legal hours of sale, in front of the court house door of Houston county, Alabama, in Dothan, various and sundry accounts, notes, mortgages and evidences of debt, made by various and sundry persons, to G. W. Carter Piano Company, at various and sundry places, residence and times, for various and sundry amounts, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of $1,562.30, and by the said G. W. Carter Piano Company transferred and delivered to the undersigned as collateral security for debt, and two pianos.

Dated this the 20th day of December, 1915.

First National Bank of Dothan,
Farmer and Farmer,
Its Attorneys.
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"WHEN DREAMS COME TRUE."

The announcement is made that "When Dreams Come True" [illegible] is one of the newest musical comedies [illegible] which had a great vogue in New York, and Chicago last season, will be presented at the Auditorium, Dothan, one night only, Wednesday, October 29.

The action of this play open on board the immigrant deck of a steamship on its way to New York. The plot begins to unfold early and the music theme begins when William Pruette, Jr., as 'Kean Hedges', the son of a multi-millionaire who, on account of having become infatuated with a French dancer in Paris, is recalled to America by his father Being short of funds, he has had to take his passage home in the steerage of the ship, and it is while he is lonely he sees as he thinks in a vision, his dream girl When the ship reaches the dock, the girl of the dream becomes a realty and romance runs merrily till the end

A number of tuneful songs are introduced, chief among them being "Come Along to the Movies" "Love Is Such a Funny Little thing," "You, dear, You," "Who's The Little Girl?" and "When Dreams Come True"

The secic appointments are elaborate and the costuming of the various members shows the very latest European fashions.

The company numbers fifty people with a large singing and dancing contingent, selected for their youth grace and ability

"When Dreams Come True" it is promised will be one of the most enjoyable theatrical entertainments of our local season

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of December, 1915, the undersigned will sell at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, within the legal hours of sale, in front of the court house door of Houston county, Alabama, in Dothan, various and sundry accounts, notes, mortgages and evidences of debt, made by various and sundry persons, to G W. Carter Piano Company, at various and sundry places, residence and times, for various and sundry amounts, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of $2,013 52, and by the said G W. Carter Piano Company transferred and delivered to the undersigned as collateral security for debt and one organ

Dated this the 20th day of December, 1915

J W Grant
Farmer and Farmer
His Attornys
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11 a. m. Sunday preachi Charles W. Northcutt, Presiding Elder.

7 p m preaching by the pastor Subject: Don't measure by the other fellow.

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PRESBYTERIAN ENTERTAINMENT FRIDAY NIGHT.

At the Presbyterian church tomorrow night at six o'clock the Presbyterians and their friends will meet for the Christmas "giving" entertainment, with the following interesting program:

Song.
Prayer
Short Talk: "The First Christmas Night," by the pastor
Song: "With Joy We Sing,' by Primary Department
Recitation "The Night Before Christmas," Earnest Wheatley
Song: "Santa Claus Land." Chalmers McCallum and Carrie Francis Boyd
Recitation: Nelly Ward
Presentation of Honor Certificates, by Santa Claus
Automobile Trip with Santa Claus.
Reading: "Christmas Day With the Head Hunters," Miss Louise Morgan
Reading "Christmas Day with a Noted Missionary," Miss Iona Carmichael
Quartette: "Riches of Love" by choir
Bible Questions by Mrs Davie Story. "The Quest of the Yellow Pearl." Mrs McArthur.
Song: "Holy Night"

The exercises will begin at 6:10 Every one will bring some gift, fruit, or something that Santa Claus can use At the close of the program fruits and confectionaries will be found in the Sunday School room for the children

Sealshipt Oysters are the very thing for Christmas eating Call us up Enterprise Market. t24

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Southeast Alabama Fair Association on Tuesday, January 11th, 1916, at 7 30 o'clock This meeting will be held in the council chamber of the city auditorium.

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For Sale Baby Maxwell, in first class condition Will trade for real estate W F Martin

For Sale — [illegible] office tf

For Sale—Few well grown pure White Orpington cockerels. Telephone 150

For Rent—8 room residence good neighborhood, all conveniences Apply at No 303 N Lena street tf

Wanted—Lady agents to sell toilet articles on good commission T. W. Jordan, Webb, Alabama td10p

For Sale—Dixie Market, and my home at 234 E Main street Phone 378 or 167. J. E. Williams tf

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For Rent—Dwelling at corner of Burdeshaw and Alice streets Possession Jan 1 D. C. Carmichael 26tf

FOR RENT—The Skipper home, corner Main and Oates Apply to J H Hargrove, Headland, Ala tD31

For Sale or rent—My 6-room house in Westover J F Keahey t1p

Nice Farm for Rent—One and a half miles from town on West Main street. For particulars see Mrs Carrie Nix. t27

Farm for Rent—60 acre farm known as Baker Johnson place, mile west of Dothan Good improvements G A Hammond j10

For Sale—Good 1914 Overland touring car at sacrifice if taken at once Phone 42 tf

For Rent—12-room 2 story house, suitable for boarding house, or two families; 2 bath rooms, 2 kitchens, corner Oates and Crawford Sol Lurie. tj23

For Rent—Four connecting unfurnished rooms, 207 E Newton street. F. M McArthur tf

For Rent—Six room house, 305 N. College. F. M. McArthur. tf

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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

May Christ's glory illumine every home and cradle, every workshop and counting house May a brighter halo than the painters put around his head surround every mother and babe throughout the land at this Christmastide.

O. P. Green

Everything Men and Boys Wear

FATHER SAVES LIFE WHEN HIS SONS DO NOT DARE

In the current issue of Farm and Fireside are some striking instances of bravery that have won the Carnegie medal. One of them was performed by an old man whose able bodied sons stood by and watched him, not daring to make the venture. His name is William G. Wills of Tyler, Texas.

"A young farm hand was working in a well sixty-five feet deep, when a large quantity of sand caved in from the top, carrying with it a curb made of boards, partly covering him. After the owner of the well and Will's own three sons had positively refused to attempt the rescue, Wills announced he would try it himself. His sons and daughters implored him not to go, but he had a rope tied around him and was lowered into the depths.

"For the next hour and a half Wills, despite his age and the difficulties under which he worked, made seven trips from the depths to the surface, carrying pieces which hindered him from freeing the victim. All this time no one in the crowd consented to assist him. It was not until after he was completely exhausted that another white man, and finally a negro, came to his relief, completing the work of clearing away the fallen mass. These two also became exhausted, and no others volunteering, Wills returned to the well and succeeded in getting the young farm hand freed and drawn to the surface."

Red Snappers, as fine as you ever saw; just in. Enterprise Market.

A most useful Christmas gift is a SINGER SEWING MACHINE. Singer Shop, 109 East Main St., Dothan, Ala. 123

Mr. John B. Daughtry and family motored up from Hartford this afternoon.

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Your Last Chance, Sale Ends
The Hoosier Wonder

Decide Now

You have been studying these ads all week. Other men's wives have already been here. They have saved miles of steps today with their Hoosier Cabinets.

You have been waiting and wishing and hoping all your married life for just such a kitchen cabinet, and this new Hoosier is truly a wonder of convenience at a price within reach of every woman. The sale ends tomorrow.

$9 Less Than Hoosier Beauty

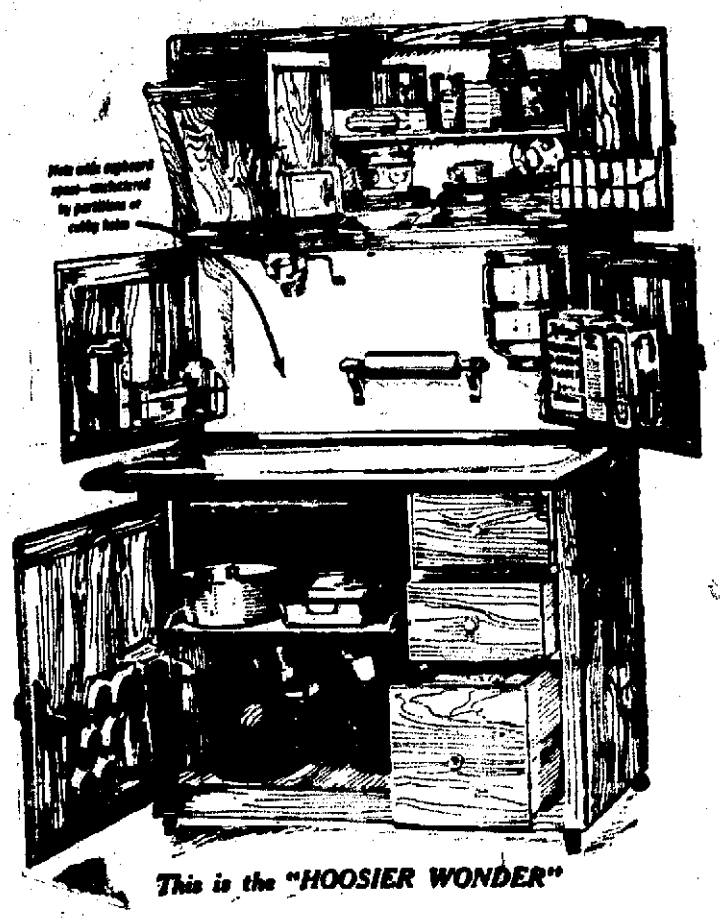
A properly equipped kitchen is one of the natural rights of every good housekeeper. Decide now to come down and see the new Hoosiers which you know you need, before it is too late to benefit by the terms of this liberal offer.

Come early. We doubt if there will be a Hoosier left in our store tomorrow night.

$1 PUTS ONE IN YOUR HOME

There is not a penny extra to pay for interest of any kind; simply $1 now; then $1 a week as the cabinet pays for itself. No woman can afford to get along without a Hoosier Cabinet when she can get such a great convenience at these unheard-of prices on such liberal terms.

Those who come early tomorrow may still choose among the following other new Hoosier models, every one of which is the best at its price.



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"Cleanliness" and "convenience" are Hoosier watchwords.
—Note the improved sanitary end where no dust can lodge.
—The wise uncluttered cupboard space above the table.
—The deep roomy drawers.
—The pure aluminum table.
—The high grade white enamel cupboards on all models.
—These and forty labor saving devices give the Hoosier unrivaled convenience.

The men who make Hoosier Cabinets take pride in the fact that no Hoosier yet has worn out—you can buy any Hoosier with assurance of lasting service.

HURRY TOMORROW

If there is any man or woman in town who is still uncertain about purchasing a Hoosier Cabinet after reading this ad, come down tomorrow without fail, and convince yourself once for all whether you want to go on working as you are now, or whether a Hoosier Cabinet will save you in your own home the miles of steps, the time, the labor and money it is saving for other women.

It won't take you five minutes to decide. Come first thing tomorrow morning before you are too late for this remarkably liberal opportunity.

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TO THOSE WE KNOW — **MERRY XMAS** — AND THOSE WE DO

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